BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	25 to 30	19 to 20

Ragi thrashing.

Outturn 6 to 7 annas.

Cattle are in good condition.

Water and fodder sufficient.

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8. Necessary articles of food stuffs procurable.

9. Sugar-cane is still being milled in some parts and it is also being planted. The raiyats in some parts are engaged in tilling the ground.

10. Prospects of the season fair.

11. Public health fair, but fever and small-pox prevail in some parts.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available for the present.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops such as Vysakhi paddy, sugar-cane, Bengal gram and jola are withering. Sugar-cane is being planted and harvested in most of the taluks of the district.

10. Prospects of the season dependent on early showers. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Jola in Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks; sugar-cane in Gubbi, and Kunigal Taluks; wheat in Maddagiri Taluk are being harvested. Vysakhi paddy is said to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season not satisfactory.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Water available in all the taluks except in some villages in the Tiptur Taluk. Fodder is getting scarce in the taluks of Tiptur and Sira, and is reported to be sufficient for the present in the other taluks.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of the district where there has been rainfall during the week. Sugar-cane and mulberry are reported to be improving in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Malvalli Taluks by recent rains. Sugar-cane in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk and sugar-cane and car paddy in parts of Krishnarajpete Taluk are in a fair condition. Sugar-cane is being harvested in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season not satisfactory. None employed on relief works. Food stocks sufficient for the present.

11. Public health good. Small-pox is reported to be prevailing in parts of the Hunsur, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder scanty in several parts of the maidan taluks.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Sugar-cane is reported to be in fair condition in Hassan, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk, but is said to be withering in parts of Channarayapatna owing to want of water. Vysakhi paddy is in fair condition in Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Manjarabad Taluks. Bengal gram, and potatoes are said to be in fairly good condition in the Hassan Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season uncertain. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water scanty generally.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane is in good condition and its milling is almost complete.

10. Want of rain is felt everywhere. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The standing crops of sugar-cane and cholum in the Chikmagalur Taluk and sugar-cane in the Tarikere and Kadur Taluks are reported to be in a fair condition. The probable outturn of harvests is 4 to 12 annas in the rupee in the Mudgere Taluk; 8 annas in the rupee in the Tarikere Taluk; 4 annas in the rupee in the Kadur Taluk and 10 annas in the rupee in the Koppa Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season uncertain. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops reported to be in fair condition. Jola and cotton in the Hiriyur Taluk and sugar-cane in the Davangere Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season not very favourable. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder in parts of Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks are insufficient. Difficulty for water is felt in parts of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks.

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